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WATERS FAMILY,

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MARIETTA, OHIO.

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WATERS.

THE facts concerning the first four generations in this genealogy were obtained from MATHEW A. STICKNEY, Esq., of Salem, Mass., and some of the Waters genealogy has been printed in the "History of Sutton."

Some items are from "Gleanings from English Records", by Emmerton and Waters.

Mr. Stickney married a Waters, and has spent much time in collecting the genealogies of the various branches of the Waters family.

It is hoped that what is here printed will interest this branch of the family in having the result of Mr. Stickney's labor put in such shape that all of the name of Waters may become better acquainted with their family history—and thus be interested in tracing back the line of descent further towards the origin of the name.

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WATERS.

THE name of WATERS is of Norman origin. Bardsley classes it with Wat, Watts, Wattare, Water, Watson, Waterson, Watkins and Watkinson, which were originally nicknames of Walter, the name of a saint who resided in Aquitaine, where through his celebrity the name had become widely spread in the early part of the tenth century. He also places it with the numerous class of locative names, such as Roger atte (at the) Lane, Thomas atte Brooke, Walter atte Water, which afterwards became Roger Lane, Thomas Brooke, Walter Atwater, or Waters.

The name has also been derived from the Norman French, Euille or Everaux (a spring or waters), from which Wassa, Washbourn (afterwards Washington), Waterton and Waters; and from the first form we have the name Wells, and from the second the root of Vernon (ver, a spring).

Waters is a common name in England, and it is possible there may be as many distinct families as there are different ways of deriving the name. In America there are as many as four entirely distinct families, but they may have a common origin. In Yorkshire, England, many have borne the name of Waters.

From the year 1400 to 1600 it appears in various forms: Wartyr, Warter, Watter, Watters, Waters.

Emmerton and Waters, in their "Gleanings from English Records", (Salem, 1880), say that "Robert Watter, of Cundall, an eminent merchant of York, was twice lord mayor thereof, viz.: 1591 and 1603. He entertained King James VI of Scotland on his way to London to be enthroned as King of England and was knighted by that monarch 20 April, 1603."

Sir Robert died 12 May, 1612, and was buried in the choir of the Church of St. Crux, under a goodly monument ornamented with the effigies of his wife and three children and with several other figures and bearing this inscription:

Sir Robert Watter Knt Alderman and twice
Lord Mayor of this City. A Father to the
Poore, a Friend to the Comynalty of this
citty, and a good Benefactor to this church,
who dyed May 12, 1612. Margaret his wife
deceased March 30, 1608, and their three
children.

Sir Robert had a brother William who was also Lord Mayor of York in 1612.

The ancestor of the above was Richard Wartyr, a merchant in York, Sheriff in 1431 and Lord Mayor in 1436 and 1451, and represented the city in Parliament in 1434. He had a brother William Warter, prior of Warter, Co. York, 1424, and another, Francis or Nicholas Warter, vicar of St. Mary's, York, 1429 and Bishop of Dromore.

Burke gives the Arms of Waters, who was York Herald (one of the six Heralds of the College of Arms) in the time of Richard II. (1377—1399).

Savage (Gen. of N. E. Families) mentions among others of the name:

Anthony Waters, of Hempstead, L. I., town clerk in 1663. (Anthony Waters was one of the English agitators there in that year, and the same name appears as one of the Vestrymen of the Parish Church, Jamaica, in 1705).

Bevil Waters of Hartford, Conn., in list of freemen, 1669; died 14 February, 1730, aged 97 years; married his second wife when he was 92 years old.

Edward Waters of New Haven, took oath of fidelty, 1647.

John Waters came as servant of Gov. Winthrop, 1630; was from Neyland, County Suffolk.

Richard Waters of Ipswich, 1638.

William of Marblehead, 1674, probably son of Richard of Salem.

Edward Waters was one of the Wardens of St. Peter's Church, Westchester County, N. Y., from 1695 to 1701.

There was an Edward Waters of "eventful and romantic life", "who came out with Sir George Somers and Sir Thomas Yates to make a settlement in Virginia, and, in July, 1609, with others of the passengers and crew of the Sea Venture, was wrecked on 'the still vex'd Bermoothes.'" He afterwards came to Virginia.

There are at present none of the descendants of Richard Waters living in Salem, though there are three distinct families of the name living there; one descended from William Waters, an early settler of Boston; one from Lawrence of Watertown, in 1636; and one whose progenitor came from England in the last century.

There were two of the Waters name in Woburn about 1675, Joseph and Samuel, descendants of Lawrence Waters. The latter had a large family.

COAT ARMOURY OF THE WATERS FAMILY IN GREAT BRITAIN.

(From Burke's Heraldry.)

WATERS—(Ireland). Argent three magpies proper.—Crest, an eagle rising reguardant proper.
Motto—Spero.

WATERS—(Ireland). Or three magpies proper.

WATERS—(Lenham, Co. Kent). Sable three bars wavy between as many swans argent.

WATERS—(Ludlow, Co. Salop). Or a pale azure.

WATERS—(Shropshire). Per pale argent and sable; a saltire charged with another wavy, both counter changed.

WATERS—(Scotland). Quarterly, argent and azure; a saltire engrailed counterchanged. Crest—a demi talbot argent in the mouth an arrow gules. Motto—Toujours Fidele.

WATERS—(York Herald temp. Richard II.) Sable on a fesse wavy argent between three swans of the second, two bars wavy azure. Crest—same as last.

WATERS—Quarterly: argent and sable, a saltire wavy counterchanged.

WATERS—Paly of six, argent and azure, a saltire wavy counter changed.

Thomas Waters, Esq., of Sarnau, Carmarthen, a demi griffin, azure. Honor pietas.

"The arms of Watter of Cundall as shown in Edmondson's Heraldry were: Argent a chevron engrailed between three chess-rooks Sable. The arms of Sir Robert Watter differed from these in having the chevron charged with three crescents Or. Crest:—An arm vested Gules turned up argent, holding in hand proper a chess-rook Sable."

ANCESTRY OF THE WATERS FAMILY OF MARIETTA, OHIO, DESCENDANTS OF JAMES WATERS OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

FIRST GENERATION.

JAMES WATERS, of St. Buttolph without Aldgate London, citizen and ironmonger of London; will dated 17 May, 1617, proved 16 Feb'y, 1617; to be buried in St. Buttolph's parish, near children; wife Phebe and son RICHARD WATERS (under twenty-one years of age) legatees; partner Samuel Rowland. [Meade, L. 17.] James was buried Feb. 2. 1617.

Phebe, his widow, married William Plasse, as will be seen from the following record: She was dau. of Mr George Manning, Gent. of Downe, Kent.

1618–19 Feb'y 18, William Plasse of St. Botolph Aldgate, London, gunmaker, and Phebe Waters, of same, widow of James Waters Ironmonger at St. Botolph aforesaid, have license to marry granted them by the Bishop of London. married Feb. 23. 1618.

Richard Waters and William Plasse came to New England.

"William Plasse was a gunsmith to whom the town of Salem (Mass.) granted, in 1637, for him and his wife the house formerly Mr. Conant's ——— &c., and in 1643 appointed a committee to provide for him a convenient room to work in — &c. He died in 1646 and his estate was administered by Thomas Wickes or Weeks, whose wife Alice (afterwards wife of Nicholas Potter) and two children, Hannah, wife of John Pickman, and Bethia, wife of John Archer, are afterwards found in occupancy of the real estate. The gunsmith's tools were said to be in the possession of Richard Waters, who calls himself a son-in-law of the deceased."

The following items are from the town records of Salem, as given in the "History of Sutton":

"4th—5 mo—1637 William Plaise requested a tenne acre lott & it is granted 21 d—6 mo—1637—it is ordered yt mr Connants house, ground & half-acre of corn standing on the same joining next unto mr Jno. fisk shall be bought by the Towne for ould mr William Plase & the Towne to mak payment thereof."

(Mem.—This house of Mr. Roger Conant, leader or governor of the "old Planters", as they were called, who had already made a settlement here before the coming of Endicott and Winthrop, stood on the land now occupied by the late residence of the Hon. Jacob S. Rogers, deceased, opposite Derby square and the town hall.)

"25—10—1637.— the marsh and meadow Lands that have formerly layed in comon to this towne shall now be appropriated to the Inhabitants of Salem, proportioned out unto them according to the heads of their families."

In a list probably made out for this appointment, the name of Willm. Plais occurs, with the figure 2 set against it, showing, doubtless, the number of his family (himself and wife).

4—10—1643, certain men are appointed as a "comitee to provide for William Plaise a convenient roome to worke in and to sett up a forge for him & wood & other necessaries to the Valew of £4."

"20—2—1646 Ordered that the Towne is to beare 29*s* of the charges toward William Plaise his keeping in his sickness and his burial & the rest to be paid by Richard Waters. The whole amounting to £2, 19*s*, 6*d*."

These may certify that my father-in-law, William Plaise, gunsmith, departed this life in Salem, this fifteenth day of the 2d mo. 1646.

RICHARD WATERS.

SECOND GENERATION.

RICHARD WATERS, born in England, son of James and Phebe Waters, by trade a gunsmith, married in England, Rejoice Plaise (according to "Hist. of Sutton"). Received a grant of land in Salem, Mass., 22 day 3 mo. 1636. Bapt. at St. Botolph's, Aldersgate, London. March 3. 1604.

"By the list of 25 day 10 mo. 1637, before mentioned, giving the names of householders and the number of heads in their families, it appears that Richard Waters had five (5) in his family at that time; probably himself, his wife and three children.

In 1638 mention is made of his "howse", which stood, perhaps, not far from the upper end of Broad street."

Freeman in 1639. May 22.

"Mr. Waters seems first to have lived near the head of Broad street, but must very early have removed to the neck near Cat Cove, where he conveyed building lots to two or three of his children, forming a hamlet afterwards known as Watertown and which remained among his descendants until the middle of the last century."

"16th July 1676 "being ancient" Richard Waters wrote his will, (a beautiful specimen of his own handwriting,) which was sworn to by the witnesses in court at Salem 28 d., 9 mo. '77. He appoints his wife, Joyce, sole executrix, and bequeaths to her all his property during her life or widowhood, and after that, what remains, "to my sonn, William, to be secured in the hands of my sonne Ezekiel, for to maintain his brother William, during his natural life, in case my sonne Ezekiel be not willing to keep him if my sonn John undertake it then he shall have Williams estate during his natural life and at Williams death to be disposed of as followeth:"

Then follow bequests to sons James, John and Ezekiel, and to daughter Martha, of 10 s. each, provided there be left forty pounds clear estate at William's death, and the bulk of the property to go to daughters, Abigail Punchard, Mary* English, Susan Pulsifer and Hannah Striker, "whoe neither of them have had any part or portion of estate already, as my forementioned children have had."

* m. Clement English. 1673

Children:

1. Mary, born in England; married Clement English, Aug. 27, 1667.
2. James, " " " " Mary Stalworthie, Mch. 24, 1669–70.
3. William, " " " never married.
4. Martha, " " " named in Will, unmarried 1676.
5. JOHN, baptized 27–6–1640; married Sara Tompkins.
6. Elizabeth, " 26–12–1642; died unmarried 4–12–1662.
7. Abigail, " 18–3–1645; married William Punchard Oct. 26, 1669 —Ancestors of the editor of the "Boston Traveller."
8. Ezekiel, " 9–2–1647; married Mary ——.
9. Susanna, " 1–2–1649; " Benedict Pulsifer, Feb., 1673. Ancestors of the editor of the "Boston Herald", R. M. Pulsifer.
10. Hannah, baptized 30–11–1652; married Joseph Striker, April 10, 1673.

THIRD GENERATION.

JOHN WATERS, son of Richard and Rejoice Waters, baptized in Salem, 27 day 9mo. 1640; married Sara, the daughter of John Tompkins. 1 day 6 mo. 1663. He settled in that part of Salem called North Fields, on Waters river, named for him, near Gov. Endicott's farm, was a wealthy farmer and reared a large family who were the ancestors of all the known descendants of the name of RICHARD WATERS.

His last will and testament, written 14th Feby. 1706–7, was proved 1st March 1707–8.

After providing for his wife, he mentions his three sons, John, Richard and Nathaniel, daughter Elizabeth, then in a "single condition," and daughters Symonds and Jacobs.

Children:

1. Richard } twins, born "last of June 1664, died within a fortnight."
2. John }
3. John, born July 4, 1665; married Mary ——.
4. Sara, " 30 day, 6 mo. 1667; " John Symonds Mch. 3, 1689–90.
5. Richard, " Nov. 13, 1669; " Martha Read, Mch. 3, 1697–8.
6. Nathaniel, " 6 day, 12 mo. 1671; " Elizabeth King, Dec. 12 1699.
7. Samuel, " Mch. 29, 1674; died aged 5 weeks.
8. SAMUEL, " May 6, 1675; married Miss Turrill.
9. Elizabeth, " 10 day, 11 mo. 1677; never married, adm. on her estate was granted to her brother John, Nov. 13, 1734.
10. Abigail, baptized May 6, 1683; married John Jacobs, April 6, 1704.

*From Nathaniel are descended Edwin F. Waters, Treas. "Boston Daily Advertiser"; (Edwin F., son of George, son of Cornelius, son of Jonathan, son of Nathaniel.) and Col. Asa H. Waters of Millbury, Mass. (Asa H., son of Asa, son of Asa, son of Jonathan, son of Nathaniel.)

Louisa M., wife of Judge Alphonso Taft of Cincinnati and Anna D., wife of Prest. Orton of Columbus, are daughters of Susan H. (Torry) daughter of Asa Waters, son of Asa, son of Jonathan, son of Nathaniel Waters.

FOURTH GENERATION.

SAMUEL WATERS, son of John and Sara Waters, born in Salem, May 6, 1675; baptized July 14, 1678; went to Woburn, Mass., which is 10 miles from Boston, from there to Easton in the county of Bristol, and married there a Miss Turrill. He died soon after their marriage, and they had but one child, Samuel. His widow married, 2d, Nathaniel Maudley and had by him ten children; they lived near the Methodist meeting house in Easton.

Only child:

1. SAMUEL, married Bethyah Thayer.

FIFTH GENERATION.

SAMUEL WATERS, son of Samuel and ——(Turrill) Waters, married Bethyah Thayer.

His will was proved Aug. 28, 1750 in Stoughton, son Daniel and wife executors. His widow had died before Jan. 1759.

Children:

1. Daniel, married Azenath (Bradford).
2. ZEBULON, born Jan. 1735, " Allis Bradford, (sister to Azenath).
3. Samuel, died at the age of 20 years.
4. Hannah
5. Bethiah
6. Mary

SIXTH GENERATION.

ZEBULON WATERS, son of Samuel and Bethyah Waters, was born about January, 1735, and was married September 21, 1757, to Allis Bradford, who was the 10th child by the second wife (Bathshua Le Brocke) of Elisha Bradford, who was the son of Joseph Bradford, the youngest son of Governor William Bradford (by his second wife Alice Southworth).

Elisha Bradford lived near Kingston bridge, which is four miles from Plymouth ("and the first house on the right hand as one goeth from Kingston to Plymouth over the Bridge") and he died June 16, 1747, aged 78 years.

Allis Bradford, wife of Zebulon Waters, was born November 3, 1734.

Zebulon Waters died May 29, 1790, aged 55 years and about 4 months and Allis Bradford his wife, died July 6, 1795, aged 60 years and about 8 months. They lived and died at Stoughton, Mass., and he was among the first settlers of that place. He was one of the soldiers who assisted Col. Winslow in removing the Acadians May 28, 1755, as did also his brother Daniel Waters.

Children:

1. Nehemiah.
2. Asa, born Feb. 11, 1760, married Lydia Smith, Nov. 10, 1785.
3. Daniel. Died Oct. 6, 1780 in the Revolutionary War in New Jersey, aged 16 years and 3 mos.
4. Zebulon.
5. Samuel.
6. Matilda. Married James Nash, had 8 children and was killed by a crazy man in Gibson, N. H.
7. Rebecca. Died young.
8. Hannah. Married Daniel Drake of Sharon, had 6 children.
9. Chloe. " Lemuel Monk, had 10 children.
10. Mary. " George Randall of Easton, had son George.

SEVENTH GENERATION.

ASA WATERS, son of Zebulon and Allis Waters, was born at Stoughton, Mass., February 11, 1760, and married Lydia Smith (who was born Jan. 10, 1763) November 10, 1785.

He served in the Revolutionary War for the American Independence. He enlisted in his seventeenth year for two months, Feb. and March, 1776 and was in Capt. Jedediah Southworth's Company and Col. Robinson's Regiment at Dorchester. When his time was out he went back to his father's, but in September, 1776 he enlisted again for nine months, in Capt. Zebedee Reading's Company and Col. Whitney's Regiment and was at Hull near Boston, and at Cambridge. He again returned to his home, and in July, 1778, enlisted to go to Tiverton, R. I., in Capt. Dix's Company and Col. Mackintosh's Regiment.

The 20th July 1779, he enlisted for nine months in the 1st Massachusetts Regiment, commanded by Joseph Vose of Milton and Capt. Stoddard's Company of Stockbridge. Thirteen went with him from Stoughton. They marched to West Point, New York, and had German guns which were "good, but rather heavy". The troops were inspected at West Point by Baron de Steuben of Prussia.

These items are taken from his own account of his services.

He acquired the title of Captain.

Lydia Smith was a daughter of Joseph Smith. He and Zebulon Waters, father of Asa, were among the first settlers of Stoughton, in the southwest corner of Norfolk Co. They both owned farms in the southwest corner of the township on the road leading from Boston to New Bedford. The farms were separated from each other about one fourth of a mile. Asa and Lydia were married soon after the close of the Revolutionary war. At the time of their marriage he owned a small farm adjoining his father's and lying between that and Joseph Smith's, so that

they commenced life together immediately between their two parental homes.

He died in 1845 aged about 85 years and Lydia his wife died June 22, 1809.

He married twice after her death but had no children except by her.

Children:

1. ASA, born Dec. 14, 1786, married Kezia Paddock Richmond, Oct. 24, 1810.
2. Oren, " Nov. 26, 1788, " Juliet Harris, June 8, 1820.
3. Lewis, " Mch. 28, 1791, " See page 19.
4. Henry, " Apr. 13, 1793, died May 7, 1795.
5. Lydia, " May 9, 1797, married Mr. Waddel.

EIGHTH GENERATION.

ASA WATERS, son of Asa and Lydia Waters was born at Stoughton, Mass., December 14, 1786, and was married Oct. 24, 1810, at Providence, R. I., to Kezia Paddock Richmond of Taunton, Mass, who was born March 6, 1787 and was the second daughter of Israel Richmond of Middleborough, born Friday, July 11, 1755. He married Hannah Mirick; he was the oldest of the 13 children of Edward Richmond of Taunton, Mass., born Aug. 13, 1724, married Reliance Paddock in 1754. She was born in Middleborough, Mass., Dec. 23, 1734, O. S., and died Aug. 14, 1820.

Asa Waters manufactured shovels in Easton, Mass., assisted by his brother Oren, and with Oliver Ames built a cotton factory not far from the shovel factory. Oren superintended the factory. After a few years he sold his interest in the business and moved to Troy, N. Y., and after a short time went to the mouth of the Mohawk river, three miles above Troy and again commenced the manufacture of shovels, and Oren came out to help him, but soon started west towards Pittsburgh. Asa left New York State after being there three or four years and came to Pittsburgh and engaged in his old business of making shovels; he made the first which were manufactured in Pittsburgh. He afterwards commenced also to make coal picks and clay picks, mattocks and axes. Oren had meanwhile married and had two children and lived a short distance from the city. At Asa's request he again came to assist him, in June, 1824, and lived in the same house with Asa's family, which was on what was then called Irwin's Alley, now Hancock street, "on the right hand side as you go down towards the river, and the last or lowest down, to what is now called Duquesne Way." The manufactory was on the same street with his house. Oren says: "The lot on which our house stood was large, covering the lower half of the ground from Penn street to the river. Fronting on Penn street was a brick block of houses belonging to John Herron and James Anderson, whilst on the rear of the block was

a grist mill and saw mill owned by John Herron and run by him, and the balance of the lot from the mills down to our house was used when needed to pile up boards and lumber on. Mr. Herron had given brother (Asa) liberty, and he had built some work shops on the lower part of the lot near the dwelling house." "There were no other improvements on that side of the alley except those I have named and on the opposite side there were no improvements from the river to Penn street except on the corner of Penn, where Christ Church now stands, there was a large frame house owned and occupied by James Irwin."

After about two years he rented a place in what is now the Fifth Ward, of about three or four hundred feet on the Allegheny river and running back to Penn street a distance of perhaps thirty rods, on which were some buildings suited to his business, with a steam engine. Here he manufactured shovels, axes, picks, mattocks and hoes and other implements. In about a year or so he put in some machinery for spinning cotton. Oren afterwards put up the first tilt-hammer in Pittsburgh and introduced the press for pressing the shovels into shape, and the fan-blast for forge fires.

Asa was also well known as a manufacturer of cotton gins, which he sold largely in the South.

This account is taken from a very interesting manuscript of considerable length, by Oren Waters, which gives a complete account of the introduction of the manufacture of shovels and axes in Pittsburgh by Asa and Oren. He says, about the year 1824, a single coal shovel would buy a barrel of flour or a hundred bushels of coal, though the profits were small, as the expense of making them was great, the iron being hauled a great distance and the handles brought from Philadelphia in wagons.

The above mentioned manuscript contains much interesting matter relating to the family history.

Asa Waters, the father of Col. Asa H. Waters of Millbury, Mass., strongly resembled Asa Waters of Pittsburgh in personal appearance. The father of each was named Asa; and each manufactured agricultural implements. The former, being in Pittsburgh one time on business was mistaken for Asa Waters of Pittsburgh, and replied to the man who accosted him that he was ignorant of the matter he enquired about, and his further answers as to his business, his father's name and his own, greatly puzzled the man, who did not understand how he could be mistaken.

Asa Waters died, a victim of the cholera at Pittsburgh, Pa., June 30, 1833, and was buried in the cemetery there.

Kezia, his wife, died at Pittsburgh, August 11, 1828, and was buried with her two infant children, by the First Presbyterian Church on Wood street.

Children:

1. Eliza Paddock, born at Easton, Mass., Nov. 8, 1812; married at Columbus, O., Dr. Peleg Sisson, Dec. 13, 1838.
She d. Apr. 20, 1891.
He was a pioneer in Columbus and a very prominent physician there in the early days. He went and returned with Capt. A. B. Waters in the "John Farnum" on the voyage to Ireland in 1847.

2. Mary Smith, born at Easton, Mass., Mch. 14, 1814; married John Lorriman Gill, Oct. 29, 1833, at Braddock's Field Seminary, near Pittsburgh, Pa., where the six elder children of Asa and Kezia Waters went to school.
He d. Mch 11. 1895. She d.
He is now proprietor of the Gill Car Manfg. Co. John L. and William A. Gill were pioneers in Columbus. They were manufacturers and dealers in various kinds of hardware.

3. Kezia Richmond, born at Watervleit, N. Y., Dec. 17, 1816; married at Columbus, O., *Noah Lindsley Wilson, May 20, 1840.
She d. Mch 14. 1886
He was a native of Wood Co., Virginia, and died at Versailles, France, Aug. 10, 1867. He was the first President of the Marietta and Cincinnati R. R. and was largely connected with the Banking and other business interests of Southern Ohio. She married second, *Isaac Burkill, Banker and Corn Broker of Leeds, England, Feb. 21, 1872. They reside in Scarborough, Eng. She has no children.
* b. Jan 28, 1806. d. Aug 25. 1903

4. ASA BRADFORD, born at Watervleit, N. Y., Oct. 26, 1818; married Annette Searl Howes, Dec. 28, 1847.

5. Hannah Mirick, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Mch. 30, 1821. married at Columbus, O., William Alfred Gill, (brother to John Lorriman Gill above) Oct. 23, 1839.

6. ISRAEL RICHMOND, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 23, 1823; married Ellen Grosvenor Ward, Oct. 19, 1854.

7. Silas Mirick, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 22, 1824; died Sept. 10, 1825.

8. Lydia Smith, born at Pittsburgh, Pa., April 30, 1827; died June 16, 1828.

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*He was a descendant, in the 7th generation, of Dorothy Whiting (dau. of Rev. Samuel Whiting of Lynn, Mass., born in Boston, Eng., 1597.) who m. Rev. Jeremiah Hobart, b. 1631, son of Rev. Peter Hobart, whose dau. Jael m. Joseph Bradford, son of Gov. Bradford. The mother of Dorothy Whiting was Elizabeth St. John, a decendant, in the 20th generation, of William de St. John, one of the Barons, who came over with William the Conqueror. Elizabeth St. John was also descended from a daughter of William the Conqueror and from Joan Plantagenet, commonly called Joan of Acre. She was also descended from the royal blood of Scotland and from the Saxon monarchs.

NINTH GENERATION.

ASA BRADFORD WATERS, son of Asa and Kezia Paddock Richmond Waters, was born at Watervleit, N. Y., Oct. 26, 1818, and married Annette Searl Howes, Dec. 28, 1847. She was born at Madison, Ind., Sept. 1827, and is the daughter of John Howes, M. D., born in Tolland, Conn. He went to Madison, Indiana, among the first settlers of that place, and died there in 1836 at the age of 52 years, greatly respected and beloved by all who knew him.

Her mother was Eliza Hale, born at Byfield, Mass., in 1801. She married Dr. John Howes in 1826, and died May 24, 1829, after an illness of about two weeks. She was the daughter of Deacon Daniel Hale of Newbury, Mass., whose wife was Betsey Chute, born in 1776, daughter of Deacon James Chute, born Feb. 16, 1751.

THE CHUTE FAMILY:

(From Thurston Genealogies).

I. Lionel Chute, the sixteenth generation from Alexander Chewte or Chute, who was lord of the manor of Taunton, Somersetshire, England, in 1268; married Rose Symonds, daughter of Samuel Symonds, lieutenant governor of Massachusetts. Lionel Chute came to America in 1635, settled in Ipswich, Mass. He taught a grammar school there in 1636 and died in June, 1645.

II. James Chute, son of Lionel, married the daughter of William Epps, of Ipswich, was register of deeds there in 1650; died 1690.

III. James Chute, son of James above, born 1649; m. Nov. 10, 1673, Mary Wood; removed to Byfield in 1681.

IV. Deacon James Chute, son of James above, was born June 14, 1686; m. Jan. 26, 1715, Mary Thurston, born 1694, dau. of Daniel Thurston of Newbury.

V. Capt. Daniel Chute, son of James above, married 1742, Hannah Adams.

VI. Deacon James Chute, son of Capt. Daniel, born Feb. 16, 1751, m. Mehitable Thurston, June 13, 1775, who was born Sept. 25, 1753 (and was the dau. of Richard, son of Daniel, son of Daniel Thurston, who married Anne Pell, 1655, and died Feb. 19, 1693). Their dau. Betsey married Deacon Daniel Hale, father of Eliza Hale, who m. Dr. John Howes.

Asa B. Waters left Pittsburgh in June, 1836, and went to Columbus, O.; from there he came to Marietta in Nov. 1840. July 4th, 1844, he entered into partnership with Noah L. Wilson at Harmar, in the mercantile firm of Wilson and Waters; in Jan. 1846, the firm became A. B. and I. R. Waters, at Marietta; and in 1847–8 it again changed to Wilson and Waters and afterwards to A. B. Waters. It was at his suggestion that shipbuilding was revived at Marietta in 1844 and the firm of A. B. and I. R.

Waters was one of those which formed the Ship Building Company, though they built, independently of that, the barque "John Farnum," of 249½ tons. Her keel was laid in the Spring of 1846 and she was launched in February 1847.

She was towed at once to Portsmouth, where she took on a cargo of Indian corn. She was measured, inspected and cleared at Louisville, Ky. Her destination was "Cork or a Port." Capt. Asa B. Waters had charge of the vessel and cargo, with Capt. Geo. Hatch as Navigator. She arrived at Cork in May, 1847, during the great famine in Ireland; returned to Philadelphia and was sold there.

In November, 1855, he went to Zaleski, where he was engaged with the Zaleski Co. as Assistant Manager. In the Spring of 1858, he went to Chillicothe and in March, 1861, removed to Cincinnati. For about ten years, 1858 to 1868, he was connected with the Marietta and Cincinnati R. R., being General Freight Agent and Local Agent at Cincinnati and also General Agent for the Road. In November, 1868, he went again to Zaleski and in March, 1870, returned to Marietta and for a time was Secretary and Treasurer of the Ohio River Stone Co. In 1872 he went to Cincinnati to organize the Transportation Department of the Board of Trade of that city, and accomplished the desires of the Board, and remained there sixteen months, leaving his family at Marietta during that time. Since 1875 he has been Cashier of the Bank of Marietta.

In 1862 he became an Elder in the Poplar Street Presbyterian Church, Cincinnati, and in 1872 an Elder in the 4th Street Presbyterian Church, Marietta.

In 1877 he was elected a Deacon in the Congregational Church, Marietta, and still retains that office. He d. Feb. 14, 1885.

Children:

1. Noah Wilson, born at Marietta, Nov. 20, 1848, died there May 29, 1849.
2. Asa Wilson, born at Marietta, March 4, 1850.
   m. Sept. 1. 1886 Nellie Dawson
   A. B. Dartmouth College 1871.
   A. M. Marietta College 1880.
   He is now an Attorney at Law, Cincinnati, Ohio, and has been Solicitor of Hamilton county.
3. John Howes, born at Marietta, July 8, 1852.
   Now of Bridgeville, Gallatin Co., Montana.
4. Annette Howes, born at Chillicothe, March 19, 1857. d. 1905
5. Frank Richmond, born at Chillicothe, Nov. 20, 1860. d. 1907.
   A. B. Marietta College 1881. at Lincoln Neb.
   Now of Chicago, Ill.
6. William Bradford, born at Cincinnati, Nov. 20, 1866. d. 1895
7. Kezia Wilson, born at Zaleski, April 17, 1869, died at Marietta, July 5, 1875.
8. Henry Hadley, born at Marietta, July 25, 1871.

NINTH GENERATION.

ISRAEL RICHMOND WATERS, son of Asa and Kezia Paddock Richmond Waters, was born at Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 23, 1823, and married *Ellen Grosvenor Ward, Oct. 19, 1854. He died Dec. 9, 1892.

She was born Jan. 18, 1832, and is the daughter of Thomas Walter Ward, Esq., of Shrewsbury, Mass., born Nov. 27, 1798, married Harriet Plympton Grosvenor, April 6, 1825.

The WARD FAMILY:

(From "Ward Family" by Andrew Henshaw Ward).

I. William Ward, born about 1603; came from Yorkshire or Derbyshire; his name appears in the Records of Sudbury in 1639.

II. William Ward, son of William; born Jan. 22, 1640, m. Hannah Eames at Marlboro, Sept. 4, 1679.

III. Col. Nahum Ward, son of William above, born Dec. 18, 1684, m. Martha How, July 16, 1714. He was one of the first settlers of Shrewsbury, Mass., where his descendants still live on the old homestead.

IV. Maj. Gen. Artemas Ward, son of Col. Nahum, born Nov, 27, 1727, m. July 31, 1750, Sarah Trowbridge, dau. of Rev. Caleb Trowbridge, whose wife was Hannah, dau. of Rev. Nehemiah Walter, whose wife was Sarah, dau. of Rev. Increase Mather, D. D., whose wife was Maria, dau. of Rev. John Cotton, born 1585, son of Roland Cotton and died 1652. He held various civil and military offices and June 17, 1775, was chosen first Major General in the Army of the Revolution; in 1779, a member of the Continental Congress and was repeatedly re-elected. He died Oct. 27, 1800.

V. Thomas Walter Ward, son of Maj. Gen. Artemas, b. Aug. 10, 1758; m. Elizabeth Denny, Nov. 28, 1782.

VI. Thomas Walter Ward, son of Thomas Walter, b. Nov. 27, 1798, m. Harriet Plympton Grosvenor, (b. Dec. 1, 1800, d. Mch. 25, 1876,) Apr. 6, 1825, daughter of Charles Grosvenor of Pomfret, Conn., who was b. Oct. 1, 1775; he was the son of Oliver, son of Ebenezer, son of Ebenezer, son of John Grosvenor, who with his wife, Esther Clark, came from Cheshire Co., England, and was of Roxbury, Mass., as early as 1672. He was a descendant of Gilbert de Grosvenor, who accompanied his uncle, William the Conqueror in 1066.

*The Record within the brackets was obtained from the Herald's College, London, A. D. 1844, by William and Mary L. Ward, and signed G. W. Collens, Pursuivant at Arms; the remainder is from the "Ward Family."

(EDWARD III, KING OF ENGLAND; his son John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster; his daughter (Joan de Beaufort) married Ralf Neville, Earl of Westmoreland; their son Richard Neville, Earl of Salisbury; his daughter, and sister of the Earl of Warwick, the King-maker, Eleanor Neville, married Thomas Stanley, 1st Earl of Derby; George Stanley, son of Thomas above; James Stanley, son of George above; Henry Stanley, son of James above; his daughter Margaret Stanley married Richard Houghton; their son Evan Houghton; his daughter Catherine Houghton married William Henshaw; his son Joshua Henshaw was sent to New England, 1653; his son Joshua Henshaw;) his son Daniel Henshaw; his daughter Elisabeth married Samuel Denny; their daughter Elizabeth married Thomas Walter Ward; their son Thomas Walter Ward; whose daughter Ellen Grosvenor Ward married Israel Richmond Waters.

Israel R. Waters left Pittsburgh in the Fall of 1836 and went to Columbus, Ohio, where he remained about three years. He then went to Springfield, Ohio, and was there about a year. He returned to Columbus and came to Marietta in the Fall of 1841. In 1846 he was engaged in the mercantile business in the firm of A. B. and I. R. Waters and has been since interested in numerous business enterprises, including the Harmar Flouring Mill and the Marietta Rolling Mill.

January 1, 1850, he began as a clerk in the Bank of Marietta and January 28, 1851, was elected Assistant Cashier of the same Bank. January 7, 1856, he was elected a Director and June 16, 1857, Cashier. In 1865 the Bank of Marietta became the Marietta National Bank and he continued as Cashier and Director. In January, 1867, he resigned the Cashiership, and January 18, 1870, was elected President of the Bank, which position he held until the Bank gave up its charter, in 1876, when he became President of the Bank of Marietta, and continues as such, having been connected with the Bank for more than thirty years, it having been in that time a Branch of the State Bank, a National Bank and a Private Bank. This Bank is the successor of the old Bank of Marietta, chartered February 10, 1808, the first corporation in the State which exercised banking powers exclusively.

April 26, 1861, he was commissioned by Gov. Dennison, Aid de Camp to Maj. Gen. J. Hildebrand, 7th Division of the Ohio Militia and Ohio Volunteer Militia, with rank of Major, for five years.

Aug. 19, 1862, he was appointed by President Lincoln, Assessor of Taxes for the 15th Collection District of the State of Ohio, and Feb. 27, 1863, Assessor of Internal Revenue for the same District. Both these appointments were signed by Abraham Lincoln, President of the U. S.

He was a member of the Board of Control of the State Bank of Ohio.

He is now President of the Bank of Marietta, President of the Marietta Gas Company, President of the Board of Cemetery Trustees, and a Vestryman of St. Luke's Church.

Children:

1. Wilson, born at Marietta, Oct. 11, 1855.
   A. B. Marietta College 1876; A. M. Marietta College 1879. He is Ass't Cashier of the Bank of Marietta, and a Vestryman of St. Luke's Church.
2. Harriet Ward, born at Marietta, March 19, 1857.
3. Ellen Richmond, " " Oct. 10, 1858; died there March
4. Alice Bradford,* " " Jan. 28, 1861. [29, 1878.
5. Mary Isabelle, " " Aug. 19, 1863. d. Feb. 23, 1883.
6. Charles Thomas, " " Sept. 29, 1865. d. Dec. 10. 1879
7. Israel Richmond,† " " Sept. 24, 1867.

The children of Asa B. Waters and Israel R. Waters are of the 9th generation from Richard, the first American Ancestor and of the 10th generation from James, the English Ancestor.

* m. Oct. 25. 1888. William Putnam Curtis, b. July 17, 1853. child, Dorothy, b. Jan. 29, 1891.
† m. Oct. 2, 1890 Flora Eliza Hayes, b. Dec. 16, 1869. " Marian b. Feb. 14, 1892.

NINTH GENERATION.

FAMILIES OF THE DAUGHTERS OF ASA AND KEZIA PADDOCK RICHMOND WATERS.

ELIZA PADDOCK WATERS, born Nov. 8, 1812, m. DR. PELEG SISSON of Rhode Island, Dec. 13, 1838. He had several children by a former wife. He died Oct. 10, 1848. She now resides at Chillicothe, Ohio.

Children:

1. Eliza Irwin, b. Jan. 18, 1840; m. John M. Vanmeter, Jan. 17, 1861.
2. Cornelia A., b. Sept. 28, 1842; m. Henry Crowther, of Leeds, Yorkshire, England, Feb. 21, 1866. He d. April 10, 1883.
3. George Parsons, b. Dec. 1, 1844; d. Feb. 4, 1853.

She had also two other children who died in infancy.

MARY SMITH WATERS, b. Mch. 14, 1814, m. JOHN LORIMAN GILL, Oct. 29, 1833.

Children:

1. William Alfred, b. July 1, 1834; d. the same day.
2. John Loriman, b. July 24, 1835; m. Phebe M. Ely, July 24, 1867.
3. Ann Eliza, b. Oct. 5, 1837; m. Theodore G. Wormley, June 15, 1858.
4. George Waters, b. May 24, 1840; m. Ellen Price, May 28, 1874.
5. Sarah Jane, b. June 24, 1842; d. Aug. 9, 1843.
6. Mary Kezia, b. Jan. 15, 1844; m. Austin Potts, Jan. 7, 1874. He died April, 1880. She m. 2? Percy Bourhart. June 19 1884. He d. Jan. '87
7. Agnes Herron, b. Oct. 20, 1846; m. Andrew Jackson Jordan, June 17, 1873.
8. Noah Wilson, b. Mch. 29, 1849; d. Aug. 19, 1851.
9. Wilson Lindsley, b. Sept. 12, 1851; m. Florence Henry, Oct. 18, 1880.
10. Herbert Richmond, b. Jan. 8, 1855; m. Amy Wilson, Nov. 4, 1880.
11. Asa Bradford, b. July 15, 1858; d. Oct. 29, 1858.
12. Allis Bradford, b. Dec. 4, 1859.

HANNAH MIRICK WATERS, b. Mch. 30, 1821, m. WILLIAM ALFRED GILL, Oct. 23, 1839. She died June 29, 1882. He died March 2, 1871.

Children:

1. Julia, b. July 31, 1840.
2. William Alfred, b. June 13, 1842; m. Belinda Mitchell, Oct. 3, 1867.
3. Henry E., b. Oct. 17, 1844; m. Emma Gaver, May, 1867.
4. Arthur Richmond, b. May 22, 1850; m. Sarah Jane Cochran, Dec. 31, 1874.
5. Frank Waters, b. April 8, 1852.

TENTH GENERATION.

ELIZA IRWIN SISSON, b. Jan. 18, 1840, m. JOHN M. VANMETER, Attorney at Law, Chillicothe, Ohio, Jan. 17, 1861. She d. Oct. 5, 1865. He survives her and has married again and has had three children by his second wife.

Children:

1. John Inskip, b. Dec. 17, 1861.
2. Eliza Irwin, b. Mch. 16, 1863.
3. Marshall Sisson, b. Oct. 2, 1865.

JOHN LORIMAN GILL, b. July 24, 1835, m. PHEBE MARVIN ELY, July 24, 1867. He manufactures Cars and Car-wheels at Allegheny, Pa.

Children:

1. Mary Esther, b. June 3, 1868.
2. Robert Dodge, } twins, born May 16, 1870;
3. Henry Gregory, } died the same day.
4. John Loriman, b. May 30, 1872.
5. Selden Ely, b. July 22, 1874.
6. Annie Wormley, b. July 20, 1876.
7. Allis Bradford, b. May 9, 1882.

ANN ELIZA GILL, b. Oct. 5, 1837, m. THEODORE G. WORMLEY, June 15, 1858. He is now Professor of Chemistry in the University of Pennsylvania. He d. Jan. 4. 1891.

Children:

1. Theodore, b. July 16, 1859; d. July 28, 1859.
2. Mary Waters, b. Mch. 9, 1861. m. Dr John Marshall, Apr. 24, 1884.
3. Theodosia Isabella, b. June 29, 1868.

AGNES HERRON GILL, b. Oct. 20, 1846, m. JUDGE ANDREW JACKSON JORDAN, June 17, 1873. He is an Attorney at Law, at Cincinnati, Ohio. He has two children by his first wife.

Children:

1. John Gill, b. April 2, 1874.
2. Allan North, b. June 10, 1875.
3. Bradford, b. May 1, 1877.
4. Mary, b. July 13, 1879.

HERBERT RICHMOND GILL, of Columbus, Ohio, born Jan. 8, 1855, m. AMY WILSON. Nov. 4, 1880.

Child:

1. Herbert Richmond, b. Aug. 12, 1881, d. June 19, 1882.

WILLIAM ALFRED GILL, of Columbus, Ohio, b. June 13, 1842, m. BELINDA MITCHELL, Oct. 3, 1867.

Children:

1. Lillie T., b. Aug. 24, 1870. m. Lyle Clarke Duty.
2. Fannie E., b. Feb. 18, 1872. m. Wm Theodore Smith.

HENRY E. GILL, now of Breckenridge, Colorado, b. Oct. 17, 1844, m. EMMA GAVER, May 15, 1867.

Children:

1. Clinton Alfred, b. Feb. 19, 1868.
2. Frederick, b. Dec. 7, 1875.

EIGHTH GENERATION.

OREN WATERS, son of ASA and LYDIA WATERS, born at Stoughton, Mass., Nov. 26, 1788, m. JULIET HARRIS, June 8, 1820.

Children:

1. Lydia, b. Feb. 22, 1822; deceased, unmarried.
2. Asa H., b. Mch. 4, 1824, m. Hannah C. Steck, Oct. 16, 1855.
3. Samuel E., b. Aug. 20, 1827, m. Ann M. Sheaffer, June 13, 1850, deceased.
4. Anna M., b. Aug. 17, 1830, m. James A. Smith, Mch. 19, 1863; no children; deceased.
5. Oren E., b. Mch. 18, 1833, m., 1st., Mary E. Manyard, June 21, 1855; 2nd, Esther A. Trask, Nov. 1, 1870.
6. James Q., b. Sept. 16, 1835, m. Annie C. Price, Oct. 15, 1861.
7. William W., b. June 10, 1838, m. Elizabeth L. Critchlow, June 24, 1863.
8. Mary E., born Oct. 5, 1840 m. Edward M. Brooks, Nov. 25, 1865.

LEWIS WATERS, son of ASA and LYDIA WATERS, b. March 28, 1791, m. JULIA RANDELL, of Easton, May 30, 1820. He died Dec. 25, 1857. She died Oct. 31, 1881.

Children:

1. Emily, b. Mch. 5, 1821, m. Lucius Clapp, July 4, 1847. They reside in Stoughton, Mass.
2. Lewis, b. Dec. 31, 1822, m. Emma Reynolds, Dec. 1853.
3. Sarah, b. May 3, 1829, d. July 31, 1832.
4. Julia, b. Dec. 15, 1831, m. Josiah Burgess, of Sandwich, Mass., Dec. 1853, died July 12, 1878.
5. Asa, b. Sept. 14, 1837, m. Alice Ashton.

LYDIA WATERS, daughter of ASA and LYDIA WATERS, b. May 9, 1797, m. ROBERT WADDELL, Jan. 20, 1825.

Children:

1. Louisa May, b. Dec. 5, 1825, m. John Shryock, Jan. 1, 1857.
2. Asa Waters, b. Oct. 27, 1827, m. Mary C. Conn, Sept. 22, 1868.

NINTH GENERATION.

The Rev. ASA H. WATERS, son of OREN and JULIET WATERS, b. March 4, 1824, m. HANNAH C. STECK, Oct. 16, 1855, resides at Jumonville, Pa., and is proprietor of the Uniontown Soldiers' Orphan School.

Children:

1. Zelie E., b. Aug 6, 1856.
2. John A., b. July 16, 1857.
3. Oren J., b. Nov. 28, 1859.
4. Mosheim S., b. May 1, 1866.
5. Asa H., b. May 13, 1875.

SAMUEL E. WATERS, son of OREN and JULIET WATERS, b. Aug. 20, 1827, m. ANN M. SHEAFFER, June 13, 1850. Deceased.

Children:

1. William O., b. April 20, 1851.
2. Asa H., b. Dec. 29, 1854.
3. Walter B., b. Apr. 24, 1858.
4. Elmer E., b. July 8, 1861; deceased.

OREN E. WATERS, son of Oren and Juliet Waters, born March 18, 1833, m. 1st, MARY E. MAYNARD, June 21, 1855, 2nd, ESTHER A. TRASK, Nov. 1, 1870; resides at Glenn Mary, Tenn.

Children:

1. Frances J., born Oct. 27, 1856.
2. Warren M., " Apr. 14, 1858.
3. Sophia M., " June 26, 1862.
4. Alpha Trask, " Feb. 16, 1876.
5. Fred, " Sept. 28, 1880; deceased.

JAMES Q. WATERS, son of Oren and Juliet Waters, born Sept. 16, 1835, m. ANNIE C. PRICE, Oct. 15, 1861; resides at Butler, Pa.

Children:

1. Mary F., born Sept. 1, 1863; deceased.
2. Henry L., " Jan. 24, 1865.
3. Charles S., " May 2, 1867; deceased.
4. James Q., " Oct. 20, 1869.
5. George R., " Sept. 18, 1870.
6. Annie L., " Nov. 2, 1872.
7. Cora M., " Jan. 23, 1875.
8. William S., " Dec. 19, 1880.

WILLIAM W. WATERS, son of Oren and Juliet Waters, born June 10, 1838, m. ELIZABETH L. CRITCHLOW, June 24, 1863; resides at Sewickly, Pa.

Children:

1. Evangeline, born May , 1864; deceased.
2. Bertram H., " Sept. , 1867.
3. Daisy, " Feb. , 1868; deceased.
4. May, " May , 1869; deceased.
5. Elizabeth L., " Feb. , 1874.

MARY E. WATERS, daughter of Oren and Juliet Waters, m. EDWARD M. BROOKS, Nov. 25, 1865; resides at Washington, Kansas.

Children:

1. Warren W., born Oct. 17, 1866.
2. Asa P., " Dec. 21, 1869.
3. Anna J., " Jan. 1, 1870.
4. William B., " June 16, 1872.
5. George W., " Feb. 9, 1874.
6. Fannie L., " Oct. 13, 1881.

LEWIS WATERS, son of Lewis and Julia Waters, born Dec. 31, 1822, m. EMMA REYNOLDS, of Pembroke, Me., Dec. , 1853.

Children:

1. Emily C., born Apr. 9, 1855; m. Herbert Morse of Warcham.
2. Oren, " May 1, 1856; m. Mary J. Dean of Pembroke, Me., April , 1880.
3. Alice B., born July 4, 1857; died in infancy.
4. William B., " Dec. 6, 1860.
5. Annetta, " Feb. , 1863; died in infancy.
6. Julia R., " Oct. 29, 1865.
7. Clara M., " Aug. 3, 1867.
8. Sarah, " Mch. 25, 1870.

ASA WATERS, son of Lewis and Julia Waters, born Sept. 14, 1837, m. ALICE ASHTON; resides in Buffalo, N. Y.

Children:

1. James Elmer.
2. Alice Bradford.

LOUISA M. WADDELL, daughter of Robert and Lydia Waters Waddell, born Dec. 5, 1825, married JOHN SHRYOCK, Jan. 1, 1857. He died Dec. 29, 1878.

Children:

1. Lily, born Sept. 23, 1857; died April 12, 1860.
2. Robert Dickson, born Jan. 27, 1859.
3. Harriet Libby, born Oct. 23, 1862.
4. George Warren, born Oct. 2, 1866.

ASA W. WADDELL, son of Robert and Lydia Waters Waddell, born Oct. 27, 1827, m. Mary C. Conn, Sept. 22, 1868.

Children:

1. Robert Oren, born May 20, 1869.
2. Lizzie May, born April 18, 1872; died Feb. 28, 1875.
3. Mina Eva, born May 7, 1876.
4. Asa Herbert, born Oct. 27, 1880; died Feb. 7, 1881.

TENTH GENERATION.

EMILY C. WATERS, daughter of Lewis and Emma Waters, born April 9, 1855, m. Herbert Morse of Wareham.

Children:

1. Edith, born March 5, 1876.
2. Albert, born March 5, 1880.

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ASA WATERS, son of Zebulon and Allis Waters, who married 1st, LYDIA SMITH, married 2nd, MARY LYON and 3d, SUSAN B. SHEPARD, who was born September 25, 1796, and still lives. She was 36 years younger than her husband and is one of the few Revolutionary soldiers' widows yet living. A pension was allowed to her as the widow of a Revolutionary Soldier.

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MARRIED,

At Columbus, Ohio, September 14, 1882, JOHN HOWES WATERS, son of Capt. Asa Bradford Waters of Marietta, to IDA EVELYN DEAN, daughter of James A. Dean, who has been for more than thirty-three years Deputy Warden of the Ohio Penitentiary. Her mother was Susan Brickel, daughter of John Brickel, the first white resident of Columbus, Ohio.

BRADFORD.

The ancestors of Governor William Bradford lived in Austerfield, Yorkshire, England, where he was born. The name, originally from the Saxon Bradenford or Broad-ford, appears on the Parish Register spelled Bradfurth and Bradfourth, but orthography was then in an uncertain state.

In 1877 the writer, in company with his cousin, residing in Yorkshire, went to Austerfield, met some descendants of the Bradfords there, and visited the little stone Church or Chapel, where Governor Bradford was baptized and which still remains as it was at that time. The font was taken to Philadelphia in 1876. The old Communion service, flagon, chalice and paten, of pewter, were still in use. The Parish clerk said that an offer had been made by an American Bradford to exchange them for a set of solid silver, which was declined. The Chapel belongs to the Parish of Bawtry, where, at the Rectory, was seen the old parchment Register containing the record of the baptism of Governor William Bradford. Photographs were obtained of this record and also of the interior and exterior of the chapel at Austerfield.

I. WILLIAM BRADFORD, the grandfather of Gov. William Bradford, lived in Austerfield, in or about 1575. "The time of his death appears only from a record of his burial, noted as happening on the 10 January, 1595-6." He had four children:

1. William, who married Alice Hanson.
2. Thomas.
3. Robert, who married Alice Waingate.
4. Elizabeth, who married James Hill.

II. WILLIAM, the eldest son of William and father of the Governor, married Alice, daughter of John Hanson. He was buried on the 15 July, 1591. His children were:

1. Margaret, b. 8 March, 1585; died young.
2. Alice, b. 30 Oct., 1587.
3. William, the Pilgrim, the record of whose baptism reads thus:

"William son of William Bradfourth baptized the XIXth day of March Anno DM. 1589."

By the death of his father he was left an orphan at the age of about two years. He m. 1st, Dorothy May, 2nd, Mrs. Alice Southworth.

III. GOVERNOR WILLIAM BRADFORD, baptized March 19, 1589, married 1st, Dorothy May, and had by her one son, John, born before the emigration, who came to N. E. about a year after his parents.

About 1608 he went to Holland and joined the Pilgrims and came to Plymouth in the Mayflower in 1620. His wife was accidentally drowned, Dec. 7, 1620, during the absence of her husband on an examining tour, before the company in the Mayflower reached Plymouth.

He married, 2nd, Alice, widow of Constant Southworth, Aug. 14, 1623. Her maiden name was Carpenter. He had courted her in England but her parents being unwilling that she should come to America,

the courtship ceased and he married Miss May. After her death, he wrote to Mrs. Southworth that if it were agreeable, and if she would come over, he would marry her. She came over in the "Ann," and brought her three sons with her: Thomas, Constant and Solomon; from them came the Southworths of Stoughton and Bridgewater. She died March 26, 1670, aged about 80, and "highly respected by the whole community."

He was chosen Governor in 1621, and was re-elected to that office every year till 1657, except five years, 1633, '34, '35, '38, '44. He died May 9, 1657, "lamented by all the Colonies of N. E., as a common father to them all." Their children were:

1. William, born 17 June, 1624, whose first wife was Alice Richards.
2. Mercy, born before 1627, married Benjamin Vermayes.
3. Joseph, born 1630, married Jael, daughter of Rev. Peter Hobart of Hingham, Mass., May 25, 1664. He came from Hingham, Old England, to Hingham, New England.

Gov. Bradford and his two sons William and Joseph were buried at Plymouth on "Burial Hill."

IV. JOSEPH BRADFORD, born 1630, married Jael Hobart May 25, 1664 and resided in Kingston. He died July 10, 1715. She died April 18, 1730, aged 88. They had two sons:

1. Joseph, born April 18, 1665.
2. Elisha, born 1669, married 1st, Hannah Cole; 2nd, Bathshua LeBrocke.

V. ELISHA BRADFORD, born 1669, married 1st, Hannah Cole, by whom he had six children, who all died young.

He married 2nd, Bathshua Le Brocke, Sept. 7, 1718, who survived her husband and married 2nd, Joshua Oldham.

When Elisha Bradford married his second wife, he was about fifty years old and she seventeen. By her he had fifteen children, the tenth of whom (VI.) Allis, married ZEBULON WATERS.

"Elisha Bradford lived in Kingston, near Kingston Bridge, which is 4 miles from Plymouth." He died June 16, 1747, aged 78.

The writer has in his possession a paper containing the signature of Elisha Bradford; the gift of Mathew A. Stickney, Esq., author of "The Stickney Family".

The family Bible of Gov. Bradford, printed in "German text" in 1592, brought with him in the Mayflower, descended to Elisha, his grandson, and contains the family record of the latter; it then passed into the family of Zebulon Waters, who married Allis, the daughter of Elisha Bradford. "It is said to have been exhibited by Mr. Asa Waters of Stoughton on some public occasion at Plymouth." He was a son of Zebulon Waters and grandfather of Asa Bradford Waters of Marietta, Ohio, to whom, as he told him, he wished the Bible to descend.

It was recently in the possession of Mr. Joseph Belcher Waters of Sharon (son of Zebulon, son of Zebulon, who married Allis Bradford), who is said to be a careful custodian of it.

FROM THE N. E. HIST. AND GENEAL. REGISTER.
JULY 1847.

"Ancient Bible in possession of Widow Lucy Waters of Sharon, Ms. It is said that this Bible was brought from England to America by the Pilgrim Fathers, who landed from the ship Mayflower, at Plymouth, Ms., December 22, A. D. 1620.

The title-page of the Testament* part of this Bible is in the following words, viz.:

NEW TESTAMENT

OF

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST.

Confered diligently with the Greeke and best approved translations, in divers Languages.

Imprinted at London by the Deputies of Christopher Barker, Printer to the Queens most excellent Majesty.

A. D. 1582.

CUM GRATIA PRIVILEGIO REGIÆ MAIESTATIS.

* All the fly-leaves are gone from the beginning of the Old Testament as well as the title-page."

"FAMILY RECORD IN THE BIBLE.

We, Elisha Bradford and Bathshua Le-brocke, were married, September, ye 7th, Anno Domini 1718 (?).

Account of the births, of all our children.

Our Daughter Hannah, was born April ye 10th		1719
Joseph was born December ye 7th day		1721
Silvanus was born July ye 6th day		1723
Nehemiah was born July ye 27th day		1724
Laurana was born March ye 26th day		1726
Mary was born August ye 1st day		1727
Elisha was born October ye 6th day		1729
Lois was born January ye 30th day		1730—31
Deborah* was born November ye 18th day		1732
Allis [†] was born November ye 3d day		1734
Azenath was born September ye 15th day		1736
Carpenter was born February ye 7th day		1738–9
Abagail was born June ye 20th day		1741
Chloe was born sixth day of April		1743
Content was born twenty-first day of May		1745
Content decd May 22	1745	
Silvanus decd the twelfth day of July	1723	

The foregoing title-page and Family Register were transcribed for and at the request of Alden Bradford, Esq., Feb. 22, 1842,

By his humble servant,

WILLIAM ELLIS."

* This Deborah was the mother of the American Heroine, DEBORAH SAMPSON, who, under the name of Robert Shirtliff, served about two years as soldier in the army of the Revolution, in Capt. Webb's Company, Col. Jackson's Regiment and General Patterson's Brigade, and after an honorable discharge from the Continental army, returned home to her mother at Plimpton in the Old Colony; assumed her female habiliments, and was married to Benjamin Gannet of Sharon, Ms., in 1784, where she died about ten years ago, and where three of her children reside at the present day." (1847.)

Deborah Sampson was born December 17, 1760. She was at the taking of Cornwallis and was in other engagements, on all occasions behaving *man*-fully; in one of these she was wounded by a musket ball, but her sex was not discovered nor the ball ever extracted, although one account relates the story differently.

She received a pension to the time of her death, in 1827—her husband survived her and her pension was continued to him by Congress.

[†] Married ZEBULON WATKINS, Sept. 21, 1757. (See page 8.)

GLEANINGS TOUCHING THE ANCESTRY OF BATHSHUA LEBROCKE.

BY A. H. WARD.

Israel Hobart of Hingham (b. June 29, 1642, brother of Jael Hobart, wife of Joseph Bradford) married Sarah Witherell of Scituate, Mass., in Jan. 1669; dau. of Rev. William Witherell, b. in England in 1600—came over in 1634 and ordained at Scituate, Sept. 2, 1645—tradition, handed down for truth, says that his mother was a daughter of John Rogers, the Smithfield martyr.

He was a man of learning, a powerful preacher, and held a high rank among the distinguished clergymen of his time. I have not learned the name of his wife—he died in office, April 9, 1684, aged 84—excuse me for relating an anecdote of him that ought not to be lost, it is illustrative of his manner of conducting the ministry and no less so of the manner of the times. "Mr. Bryant entered the church after the services were commenced, and Mr. Witherell, at the close of his prayer, addressed him thus—'Neighbor Bryant, it is to your reproach, that you have disturbed the worship by entering *late*, and living as you do, within a mile of this place, and especially so, since here is Goody Barston, who has milked seven cows, made a cheese, and walked five miles to the house of God in good season.' That was a severe rebuke to poor John Bryant; and perhaps administered with more freedom, as he was by marriage with the minister's daughter, Elizabeth, his son-in-law." Another of his daughters, Mary, m. Thomas Oldham of Scituate in 1656.

Sarah Witherell was baptized at Scituate in 1645, and m. Israel Hobart, as before mentioned, in Jan. 1669.—Their only child, of whom a record is found at Hingham, was Sarah—Hobart's Journal says—"May 30, 1670, Sarah Hobart was born, dau. of Israel". Israel Hobart removed, but when does not appear, to Scituate upon the border of Hingham, where he d. April 4, 1731, aged 89; his wife probably d. before him, as she is not mentioned in his will, dated in 1729. He left legacies to his son, Israel, to dau. Abigail, to Mary Withington, Grace Davis and Bathsheba Brock, daughters of my daughter, Sarah Brock; and to my dau. Jael, Executrix. Thus it appears that

——— Brock m. Sarah Hobart and had

Mary, who m. ——— Withington—a Dorchester name.
Grace, who m. ——— Davis.
Bathsheba (or Bathshua), who m. Elisha Bradford, her cousin, Sept. 7, 1718.

Henry Brock, of Dedham, d. 1652, made his will April 22, 1646. John was the only son named in his will and he settled his father's estate. He was also an Exr. of the will of a Mr. Baker of Dedham in 1646, and made freeman, Mass., in May, 1642.

In 1646 John Brock graduated at H. U., and became Pastor of the Church in Reading, Mass. He married Sarah Haugh, widow, at Reading, November 13, 1662, where it appears by the records of that town, that "Sarah, wife of John Brock, died, April 15, 1681," and "Mr. John Brock, Pastor of the Church, died June 18, 1688." It does not appear when he settled there. If he was the son of Henry Brock (and they are the only men I find in my research by the name of Brock) he must have been at least 66 years of age at the time of his death. At present I think it must have been a *son of his*, that m. Sarah Hobart.

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The following concerning the children of Elisha Bradford, is chiefly from an account by Capt. Asa Waters, son of Zebulon and Allis Waters. It is in the MS. of Oren Waters. Hannah married Joshua Bradford of Plymouth, (5th child of Israel, 12th child of William, 2nd son of the Governor; who married Alice Richards.) They lived in Friendship, Me., and had three sons and two daughters. They were both killed by the Indians in their own house, May 22, 1758, and were buried on Gooseberry Island. "I was on the Island in Aug. 1785, with Uncle Carpenter Bradford, who lived about three quarters of a mile from there. I was on the spot where the house stood. It was pleasantly situated on the west side of Maduncook river."

Abigail Bradford married an officer in the British army and went to Halifax with him. She died Dec. 17, 1760. She had no children.

Lois married and lived on Long Island, N. Y.

Deborah married Jonathan Sampson, Jr., of Plympton, and had 3 sons and 3 daughters.

Laurana married Elisha McFarland of Plympton. She had a son Joseph and several other children.

Azenath married, 1st, Nathan Esty of Stoughton, July 22, 1753, and had one child by him, which died young. Esty enlisted as soldier in the old French war, went to Nova Scotia and died there. She then married, 2nd, Daniel Waters of Stoughton, and had three children by him, Bethiah, Lucy and Samuel. Daniel Waters died and she married, 3d, Benjamin Packard of Stoughton. By him she had four children. She died November 15, 1818.

Carpenter was the only son of Elisha Bradford that ever married. He was the youngest and lived the longest. His brothers all died before they were forty years old; he lived to be eighty-two. He married Mary Gay of Stoughton, "cousin to my first wife" (Lydia Smith), June 18, 1761. He went to Nova Scotia, returned and had a Lieutenant's commission in the Revolution. He afterwards brought his family from Onslow, Nova Scotia, to Friendship, Me., where he lived the remainder of his life. He had one son William and three or four daughters.

RICHMOND.

I. JOHN RICHMOND, of Taunton, Mass., was the first comer of the name to New England. He is said to have come from Ashton Keynes, Wiltshire, England, being baptized there in 1597, where the estate had been in possession of the Richmonds since the Conquest.

His name is not in the list of those able to bear arms in 1643, he being too old or in Newport. He was not specially distinguished; his age doubtless had something to do with this matter, besides, he was at one time in Bridgewater, then in Newport and also in Taunton, so perhaps did not become identified thoroughly with either place.

He was one of the Commissioners (for Newport) of the Court of Commissioners held at Portsmouth in 1656

He was born about 1594, as appears by his age at his death, March 20, 1664, aged 70 years. His will, Dec. 14, 1663, gave to eldest son John Richmond; to son-in-law William Paule, and Mary, his wife, and to their children; to youngest son Edward Richmond, and his son, Edward; to son-in-law Edward Rew, and Sarah, his wife; to son John's son, Thomas. Witnesses: Joseph Wilbore and Shadrack Wilbore; wife not named in the will — probably not living — her name not known.

John Richmond, his sons-in-law and Joseph Wilbore were among the first purchasers of Taunton, in 1637. His children, as per will, were (and we know of no others):

1. John, born in England about 1627; m. Abigail Rogers.
2. Mary, m. William Paule.
3. Edward, m. —— —— and lived at Little Compton, R. I. He was quite distinguished in public affairs; was Solicitor-General of Rhode Island.
4. Sarah, m. Edward Rew.

John Richmond and his brother Edward were proprietors in the Narragansett country in 1661, and in that part of it now Westerly, in 1669. John and five others had a grant of 3000 acres in Westerly in 1710, and he was then called John *Richmon*, Sen.

II. JOHN RICHMOND, son of John Richmond, was born about 1627 and married Abigail Rogers, daughter of John Rogers of Marshfield. He died Oct. 7, 1715, aged 88 years; she died Aug. 1, 1727, aged 86 years.

He was cotemporary with James Walker, Senior, and associated with him in public affairs. He was Constable, of the Town Council, Commissioner and Surveyor. He gave a deed of his home, lot and dwelling to son John, for £400. His residence at "Neck of Land", in Taunton, was about three quarters of a mile from the "Green" or center. He and his wife were buried there.

He was a distributor, in March, 1677, of £10, being Taunton's apportionment of £363, 3s. "Irish Charity," sent from Dublin, Ireland, Aug. 7, 1676, "to the distressed sufferers by King Philip's War," and apportioned among the people of 47 towns.

The names and births of his children are found in the Proprietor's records of Taunton. Children:

1. Mary, b. Bridgewater, June 2, 1654; m. Richard Godfrey.
2. John, b. " June 6, 1656; d. in his minority.
3. Thomas, b. Newport, Feb. 2, 1658; d. Middleboro, Dec. 14, 1705 His grandfather left him a legacy.
4. Susanna, b. Bridgewater, Nov. 4, 1661, m. James Reed, April 18, 1683.
5. Joseph, b. Taunton, Dec. 8, 1663; m. Mary Andrews, June 26, 1685.
6. Edward, b. " Feb. 8, 1665; m. Mary ——.
7. Samuel, b. " Sept. 23, 1668; m. Mehitable Andrews.
8. Sarah, b. " Feb. 26, 1670; m. James Walker, Oct. 6, 1699.
9. John, b. " Dec. 5, 1673; m. Hannah Otis of Hingham, Nov. 28, 1709.
10. Ebenezer, b. Newport, May 16, 1676; m. —— ——; lived at Middleboro. now adjoining Richmondtown.
11. Abigail, b. Newport, Feb. 20, 1678; m. Nathan Walker, July 29, 1708.

III. EDWARD RICHMOND, son of John Richmond, who married Abigail Rogers, was born at Taunton, Feb. 8, 1665, and married Mary —— He died in the year 1741. "Name of wife not known. No record in Middleboro, and all information obtained is from deeds or will." He resided in Richmondtown, the name given to the N. E. part of Taunton. He and Joseph bought 150 acres of land in Middleboro, of John Rogers of Duxbury, in 1687. Children:

1. Edward, born 1696; m. 1st, Elizabeth R. Dean, 2nd, Mrs. Elizabeth Sampson.
2. Richard; living in 1738; oldest inhabitants and relatives know nothing of him or his descendants.
3. Josiah; m. 1st, Mehitable Dean; 2nd, Mrs. Lydia Crocker, and had 12 children. He d. aged about 74 years. His dau. Miriam m. Elisha Walker of Taunton, the gr. gr. father of the Rev. J. B. R. Walker, of Boston Highlands, Mass., from whom a portion of this genealogy was obtained. He has in manuscript a "Memorial of the Richmond Family," which he intends to publish.
4. Nathaniel; children: Gideon, Nathaniel, Alice, Betsey. He died in the Expedition against Louisburg, in the French war.
5. Seth; born 1719; m. Lydia Haskins, who d. 1782. He had 9 children; 5 sons and 4 daughters. "A man of great excellence." He resided in Richmondtown, and was appointed Deacon in 1766.
6. Mary; m. Edmond Burt.
7. Mercy; m. Edward Walker, uncle of Elisha W., who m. dau. of Josiah Richmond.
8. Priscilla; m. Edward Hachett, of Middleboro.
9. Sarah; m. Samuel Crane.
10. Phebe; m. Noah (?) Eliot. She d. 1741-2 in her 30th year, and her dau. in 1749-50, in her 16th year.

IV. EDWARD RICHMOND, son of Edward and Mary Richmond, was born in the year 1696, and married 1st, Elizabeth R. Dean, dau. of Benjamin Dean, b. Mch. 26, 1695, 2nd, Mrs. Elizabeth Sampson of Middleboro (adjoining Richmondtown), Nov. 6, 1750. He was appointed Deacon of the Cong'l Church in 1725; Assessor, in Middleboro, 1738–41; in 1748, in Taunton. He sold to his son Edward of Taunton, land in Titicut, near Taunton on Great River with mill privilege. He bought a large tract of land in 1744, of Stephen David, at Dedham, and is called "Gentleman" in distinction from yeoman. He died Feb. 16, 1771, in his 75th year. Children:

1. Edward; b. Aug. 13, 1724; m. Reliance Paddock, June 9, 1754.
2. Isaac; m. Mehitable Dean, resided at Taunton; had 4 children; died Dec. 16, 1784, in his 49th year.
3. Elijah, m. Phebe Richmond, dau. of Dea. Seth Richmond. He resided in Taunton, and had 3 sons and 3 daughters.
4. Elizabeth; m. Abel Huskins; d. 1806, aged 90 years; had 11 children.
5. Prudence; m. Elijah Hachett. She d. about 1795; had 7 children.
6. Abigail; b. Mch. 7, 1728; d. Feb. 9, 1811; m. Macy Hall, of Raynham.
7. Bathsheba; b. 1748; m. 1st, Abel Richmond, of Middleboro, and 2nd, Ebenezer Porter, of Abington, Mass. She d. 1831.
8. Susannah; m. William Richmond, of Middleboro, son of Henry. She died soon after of measles. Res. Plymouth.
9. Israel; not mentioned in will; drowned, aged 16.

V. EDWARD RICHMOND, son of Edward Richmond, who married 1st, Elizabeth R. Dean, 2nd, Mrs. Elizabeth Sampson, was born at Taunton, Aug. 13, 1724, and married Reliance Paddock, daughter of Joseph Paddock, of Cape Cod, June 9, 1754. (Her sister m. John Richmond.)

Reliance Paddock was born Dec. 23, 1734, O. S., and died Aug. 14, 1820. He died Oct. 14, 1802. He was a farmer and operated a gristmill, and resided at Middleboro and Richmondtown. In 1776 he was in the train band of Capt. Ephraim Hathaway. Children:

1. Israel, b. Friday, 11th July, 1755; m. Hannah Mirick, Oct. 17, 1776.
2. David, b. Sabbath day, 30th Jan., 1757; d. 19th Dec., 1835.
3. Reliance, b. Saturday, 20th Jan., 1759; d. Oct., 1842.
4. Elias, b. Thursday, 12th March, 1761; d. 3d July, 1761.
5. Enoch, b. Friday, 4th June, 1762; d. 12th May, 1770.
6. Paddock, b. Sabbath day, 27th May, 1764; d. 28th Oct., 1838.
7. Kezia, b. Tuesday, 26th Nov., 1765; d. 30th August, 1766.
8. Edward, b. Monday, 29th June, 1767; d. 10th April, 1842.
9. Thomas, b. Tuesday, 21st Nov., 1769.
10. Micah, b. Friday, 29th May, 1772; m. Hannah Sumner, b. Sept. 1, 1776, dau. of Roger Sumner of Milton, Mass., b. 1737; d. 1823; m. Jerusha Billings, 1795. Micah Richmond d. Oct. 16, 1818.
11. Bathsheba, b. Monday, 10th Oct., 1774.
12. Samuel, b. Sabbath day, 11th Oct., 1778.
13. Solomon, b. Monday, 22nd July, 1782; d. 15th Oct., 1840.

VI. ISRAEL RICHMOND, son of Edward and Reliance Paddock Richmond, was born July 11, 1755, and married Hannah Mirick, daughter of Ebenezer Mirick of Berkley, Oct. 17, 1776. He died April 25, 1825. She died about 1827. He resided in Richmondtown and was a joiner. He was of Middleboro when married; of Taunton in 1788; and Middleboro in 1794. Children:

1. Adino, did not marry; died 1805, aged 26.
2. Elias, married Lydia Richmond, a distant relative. They had one daughter, Lydia, who died aged 16. He died in 1817, aged 36, in Charleston, S. C.
3. Silas, born in 1782, married Mary Richmond, a sister of Elias' wife. He died aged 29. They had three children:
    1. Albin, born 1803; m. Elizabeth Upham, 1831, had three children, Josiah Horace, died Feb. 12, 1839, Mary Elizabeth and Hannah Eveline.
    2. Elias, born 1805; m. Zeroah Richmond, had daughter, Lydia. They lived at Taunton.
    3. Silas, born 1809; m. ——— ———.
4. Bathsheba, married Samuel Miller of Middleboro, 1806; had nine children: Adino, Francis, Almira, Bathsheba, Susan, Samuel, Joseph, Kezia and Rhoda.
5. KEZIA PADDOCK, born March 6, 1787; m. ASA WATERS, at Providence, R. I., Oct. 24, 1810. She d. Aug. 11, 1823. (See page 10.)
6. Israel, married Laura Leach, 1811; had three children, Laura, Lucy, and one which died very young.
7. Edward, married Eliza Tinkham, of Fairhaven, 1825; had three children, Edward Augustus, Ansel Carmel, Mary Elizabeth.
8. Hannah, married Samuel Tripp, of Fairhaven, 1823; had four children, Samuel Mirick, Adino Richmond, Laura B. and Edward R.
9. Ebenezer, married Jane Trimble, of Pittsburg, Pa., 1823, had three children, Israel, William and Ebenezer.
10. Enoch, married Susan Ames, 1824. Had eight children, Mary, Israel, David, Susannah, Enoch, Lucy and twins who died before they were named.

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"Rev. Edward Richmond, D. D., b. Middleboro, Mass., June 29, 1767. Brown Coll., R. I., 1789; ordained Stoughton, 1792; resigned 1817 and in June of that year installed over third parish in Dorchester, Mass.; resigned on account of paralysis, May 13, 1833, and died April 10, 1842, in his 75th year. He was thrice m. (1) to Lucy, dau. of Rev. Joseph Palmer, H. U. 1747; ord. Norton South Precinct, Mass., 1753, and d. 1791 in his 62nd year; (2) to Sarah Manning of Ipswich, Mass., in May, 1813; (3) to Christiana, dau. of James Swan, Esq., of Dorchester, who survived him; his dau., Sarah, m. Francis H. Blanchard."

A romantic love story is told of his daughter, Lucy Palmer Richmond, and William Austin, a Sea Captain, whom her father would not allow her to marry. She died Oct. 25, 1816, aged 20. Dr. Richmond afterwards met Captain Austin and acknowledged him as his son, and with her father's permission he erected a headstone to Lucy's memory, at Stoughton.

One generation passeth away, and another generation cometh.

Ecclesiastes 1, 4.

And they declared their pedigrees after their families.

Numbers 1, 18.